



Actiontec® 1520

Setting an Administrative Password Instruction Set

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The following instruction set will guide you through the process of setting an administrative password for the Actiontec 1520. Qwest recommends setting an administrative password to secure your modem from unwanted configuration changes.

Setting the Administrative Password

STEP 1

Open your web browser (Internet Explorer® or Netscape® for example).

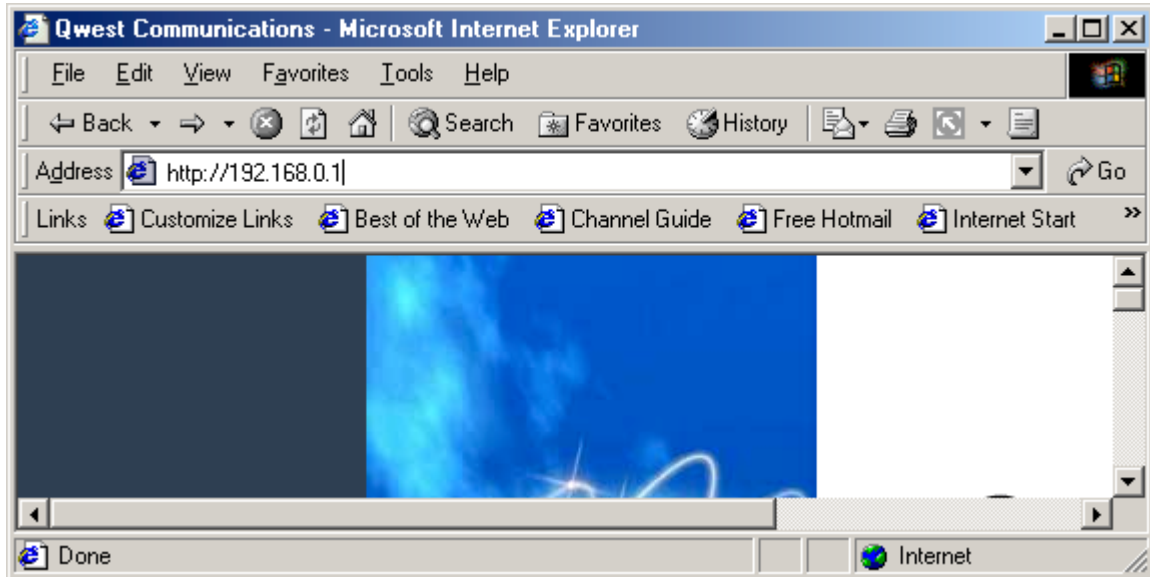


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STEP 2

Type the following URL in the address bar.

<http://192.168.0.1>



The following page will appear.

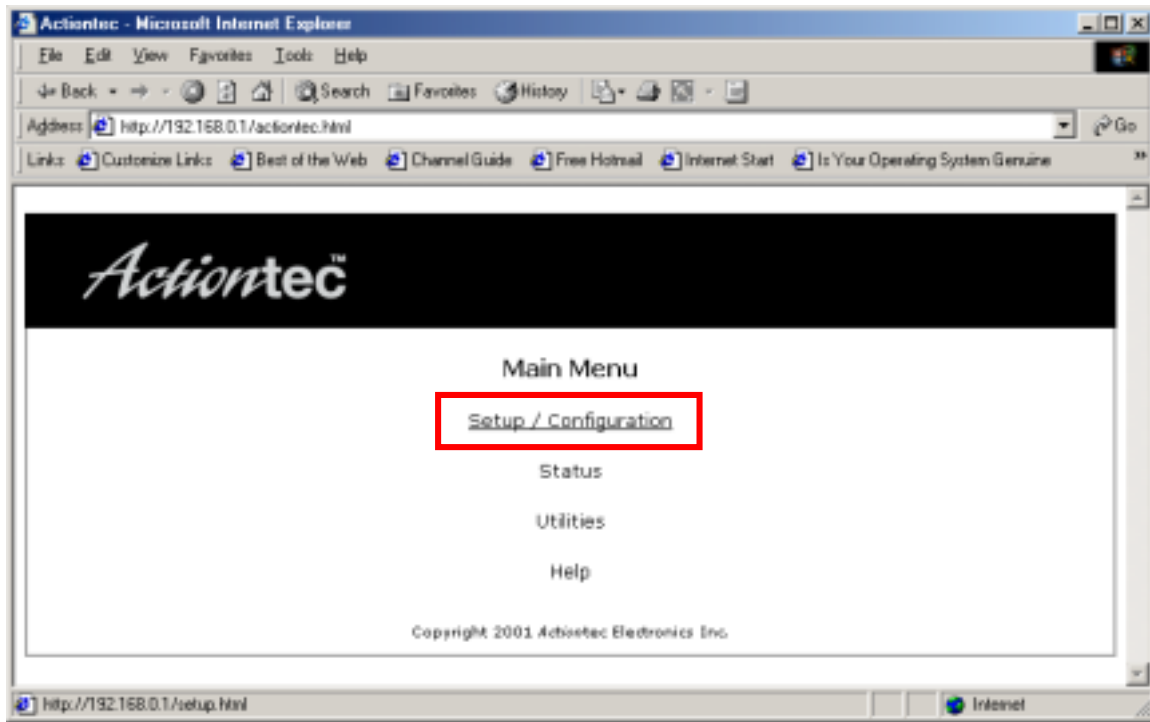


NOTE: If the Actiontec Main Menu page does not appear as shown above, please ensure the Ethernet cable is connected correctly.

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STEP 3

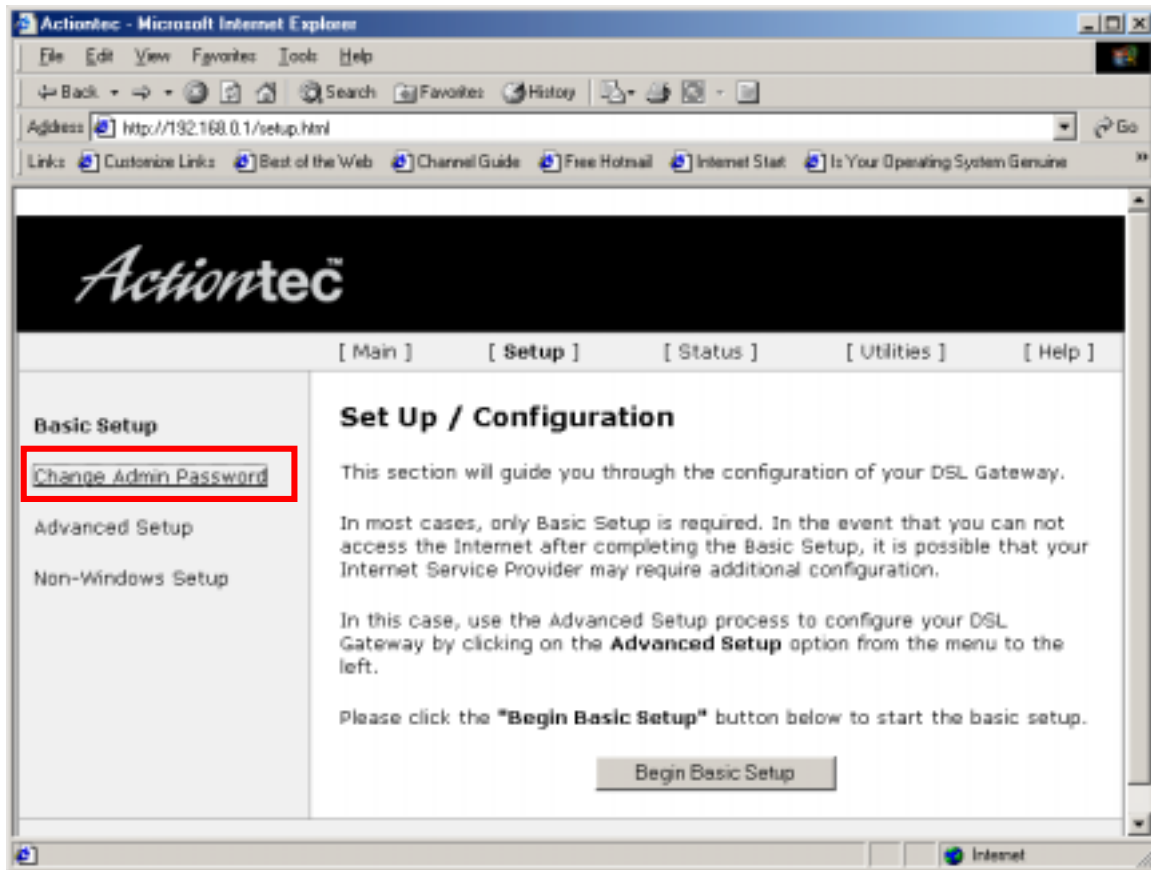
Click on Setup/Configuration from the Main Menu.



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STEP 4

Click on CHANGE ADMIN PASSWORD in the left column.



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STEP 5

Enter an admin password in the fields below. Then, select **SAVE AND RESTART**.

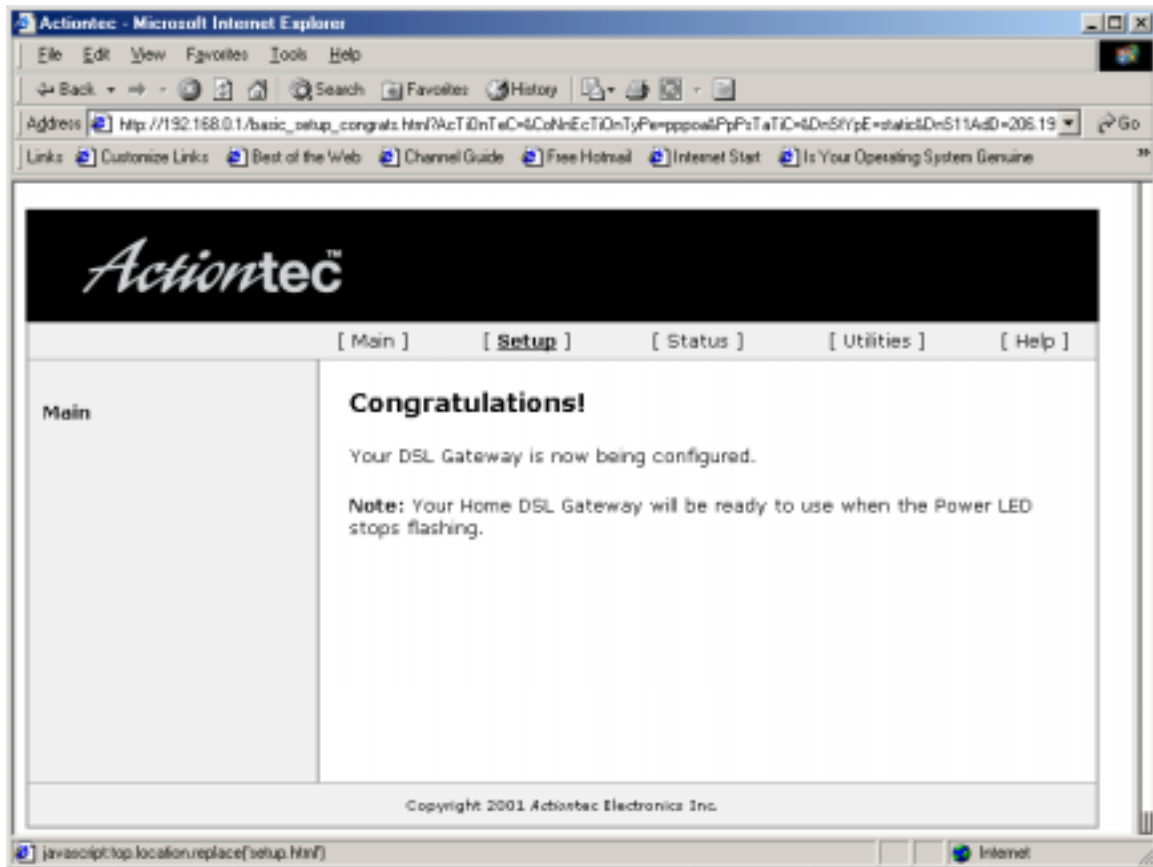
The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer window titled "Actiontec - Microsoft Internet Explorer". The address bar displays "http://192.168.0.1/change_set.html". The browser's menu bar includes File, Edit, View, Favorites, Tools, and Help. The toolbar contains Back, Forward, Stop, Reload, Search, Favorites, History, and Go. The Links bar shows Customized Links, Best of the Web, Channel Guide, Free Hotmail, Internet Start, and Is Your Operating System Genuine. The main content area features the Actiontec logo at the top, followed by navigation tabs: [Main], [Setup], [Status], [Utilities], and [Help]. The "Change Admin Password" section is active, showing a sidebar with the same title and a main area with the heading "Change Admin Password". Below the heading are two input fields: "New Password" and "Re-enter New Password", both containing "AAAA". A message states: "Please click the **Save and Restart** button below to save your settings and restart your DSL Gateway." Below this message is a button labeled "Save and Restart". The footer of the page reads "Copyright 2001 Actiontec Electronics Inc." The status bar at the bottom shows "Done" and "Internet".

NOTE: Please write down your password in a secure location. You will need the password to access the Actiontec web interface in the future. The predefined user name to use when logging in is "admin" in lower case with your administrator password.

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STEP 6

Click SAVE AND RESTART to save the changes and restart the router.



Congratulations, you have completed setting an administrator password in your modem. Setting an administrator password in your modem is one step in securing your internet connection. Once the Power LED stops blinking the modem is ready for use.